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NEW ANTIGEN PRESENTING CELLS, A PROCESS FOR PREPARING THE SAME AND THEIR USE AS CELLULAR VACCINES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond in view of the time period set by the filing of a Notice of Appeal on July 13, 2001, for two months to November 13, 2001.

Please charge the extension fee of \$200 to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. If this fee is insufficient, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension fee to deposit Account No. 25-0120. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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